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TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY) GW WB SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL VISIT: GIFTS

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- 1. WE HAVE CONVEYED INFORMATION ON GIFTS IN REFTEL TO FRG. FRG WILL BE PREPARED TO RECIPROCATE WITH GIFTS FROM PRESIDENT SCHEEL AND THE CHANCELLOR FOR THE PRESIDENT. FRG WOULD ALSO LIKE TO CONFIRM THAT, AS RELATES TO BONN AND FEDERAL OFFICIALS THERE, US DOES NOT REPEAT NOT INTEND TO PRESENT OTHER GIFTS TO OTHER PARTIES DURING BILATERAL PART OF VISIT. FRG WILL THEN BE PREPARED TO ACT IN A PARALLEL FASHION.
- 2. FRG ASKS IF US ENVISAGES AN EXCHANGE OF PHOTOS BETWEEN PRESIDENTS CARTER AND SCHEEL, NOTING THAT THIS NORMALLY IS THE CASE. PLEASE ADVISE.
- 3. FRG SAYS THERE WILL BE NO PROBLEMS IN AN EXCHANGE OF GIFTS ALONG LINES OUTLINED IN REFTEL BY CHIEFS OF PROTOCOL OR BY OTHER DESIGNATED OFFICERS FROM THE TWO SIDES -- I.E., NOT BY THE PRINCIPALS THEMSELVES.
- 4. FRG PLANS TO GIVE NO GIFTS DURING ECONOMIC SUMMIT. CONFIDENTIAL

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